

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

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Case No. 0:21-md-02998 (JRT/HB)

This Document Relates to:

All Class Actions

**ORDER AMENDING THE PRETRIAL SCHEDULING
ORDER REGARDING CLASS CERTIFICATION DEADLINES**

The Court has reviewed and considered the Stipulation to Amend the Pretrial Scheduling Order Regarding Class Certification Deadlines (ECF No. 63) between Direct Purchaser Plaintiffs, Consumer Indirect Purchaser Plaintiffs, and Commercial Indirect Purchaser Plaintiffs (collectively “Class Plaintiffs”) and Defendants. The Court finds that there is good cause to adopt the stipulation pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16(b)(4) and D. Minn. L.R. 16.3.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the January 26, 2021 Pretrial Scheduling Order (ECF No. 658) is AMENDED with regard to the deadlines relating to the Class Plaintiffs’ Class Certification Motions and Related Expert Discovery, as set forth below. This Order does not change the non-class certification deadlines in the Pretrial Scheduling Order.

Event	Current Deadline	New Deadline
Plaintiffs to File Motion for Class Certification and Supporting Expert Reports	February 7, 2022	May 2, 2022
Defendants to File and Serve Daubert Motions to Exclude Expert Opinion Pertaining to Class Certification	April 8, 2022	June 30, 2022
Defendants to File and Serve Memorandum in Opposition to Class Certification with Supporting Documents and Expert Reports	April 8, 2022	June 30, 2022
Plaintiffs to File and Serve Daubert Motions to Exclude Expert Opinion Pertaining to Class Certification and Memoranda in Response to Daubert Motions	June 7, 2022	August 29, 2022
Plaintiffs to File and Serve Reply and Rebuttal Expert Report to Motion for Class Certification	June 7, 2022	August 29, 2022
Defendant to File and Serve Memoranda in Response to any Daubert Motions filed by Plaintiffs and their Reply Iso their Daubert Motions	July 22, 2022	October 13, 2022
Plaintiffs to File and Serve Reply Memoranda ISO Their Daubert Motions	August 22, 2022	November 14, 2022

Dated: January 10, 2022

s/Hildy Bowbeer

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United States Magistrate Judge